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## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH RECOGNIZES WORLD AIDS DAY DECEMBER 1**

*Get tested and learn more about HIV/STDs and Hepatitis C*

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**Martin County, FL** – In recognition of World AIDS Day on December 1, The Florida Department of Health in Martin County is hosting a series of outreach events to offer free testing for HIV/STDs and Hepatitis C.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), more than 1-million people in the United States are living with HIV and of those, it is estimated that 1 in 7 don't know it. Increasing HIV prevention awareness, as well as testing and treatment are the first steps to stopping the spread of the virus.

### **Free HIV/STD & Hepatitis C testing available: no appointment is needed**

- **Stuart, Friday, December 6, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm**  
Florida Department of Health, Martin County, 3441 SE Willoughby Blvd.
- **Indiantown, Tuesday, December 17, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm**  
Florida Department of Health, Martin County, 16401 SW Farm Rd.

### **About the Florida Department of Health**

The department, nationally accredited by the [Public Health Accreditation Board](#), works to protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county and community efforts.

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